GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

Public Services- - Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation - Disciplinary proceedings initiated against Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of GVMC, Visakhapatnam for entering into agreement with the firm that does not hold BIS license ignoring tender conditions - written statement of defense submitted - Further action dropped - Orders - Issued.

MUNICIPAL ADMINISTRATION & URBAN DEVELOPMENT (E 1) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No. 16

Dated:06.01.2012 Read the following:

- 1) From the G.A (V&E) Department Vigilance Report No.41, (1127/V&E1/08)dt.20.04.2010.
- 2) Govt Memo No.11125/E1/2011, Dt.11.06.2010.
- 3) From the ENC (PH), Lr Dt:31.07.2010.
- 4) GO.Rt.No.423, MA & UD (E1) Department, Dt.01.04.2011
- 5) From Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of GVMC, Visakhapatnam, Explanation Dated.17.05.2011.
- 6) Govt Memo No.11125/E1/2010, Dt.17.09.2011.
- 7) From the ENC (PH), Lr No.4/VCWV/CS2/E3/2010, Dt:28.11.2011.

ORDER:

In the reference 1st read above the General Administration (V&E) Department have conducted an enquiry on the alleged irregularities in entering into agreement with a firm that does not hold BIS license duly ignoring tender conditions on supply of ISI marked valves without holding valid license in Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam.

- 2. In the reference 2nd read above, the Engineer-In-chief(PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad, has been requested to furnish draft article of charges against Sri E. Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam.
- 3. Accordingly the Engineer-In-Chief(PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad, has furnished the draft article of charges against E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of GVMC, Visakhapatnam, in the reference 3rd read above.
- 4. In the reference 4th read above, charges have been framed against E. Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-10f Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam, for entering into agreement with a firm that does not hold BIS license duly ignoring tender conditions on supply of ISI marked valves without holding valid license in GVMC., Visakhapatnam.
- 5. In the reference 5th read above, E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam, has submitted his written statement of defense denying the charges framed against him and requested to drop further action.
- 6. In the reference 6th read above, the Engineer-In-Chief (PH&ME),A.P., Hyderabad, has been requested to offer his remarks on the explanations submitted by the Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam.
- 7. In the reference 7th read above, the Engineer-In-Chief (PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad, in his remarks has stated that the firm M/s Vijaya Casting works, Vijayawada has furnished copy of renewal of certification of license vide license No.CM/L-6193774, Dt.22.12.2006 wherein it is clearly mentioned that it has been renewed the license from 01.12.2006 to 20.11.2007". Therefore it

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implies that the firm has valid license at the time of agreement i.e., 25.05.2007 for the above work mentioned in the charges. Further he has also observed that a copy of the BIS certification of marks license No.CM/L-6740171 as per IS 14846:2000, Dt.17-08-2007 is available for grant of license to use the standard mark and on the contrary the V&E department has pointed out that the same is not available based on which the charge was framed. Therefore the ENC, PH, Hyderabad has concluded that the charges may be dropped against the charged officer as he has not, violated any tender agreement conditions.

- 8. Government after examination of the matter, decided to exonerate Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE (WSQM)-1of Greater Visakhapatnam Municipal Corporation, Visakhapatnam from the charges, and drop further action against him.
- 9. Accordingly, Government here by exonerate Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE (WSQM)-1of GVMC, Visakhapatnam, from the charges, and drop further action against him.
- 10. The Engineer-In-Chief (PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad, shall take necessary action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH) B.SAM BOB PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

Sri E.Rajendra Krishna, the then EE(WSQM)-1of GVMC, Visakhapatnam, (through the Engneer-In-chief (PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad)
The Engneer-In-chief (PH&ME), A.P., Hyderabad,

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